

## L. S. JONES &amp; CO.

Indiana's Greatest Distributors of Dry Goods

For a week past we've been busy making room for a flood of new silks and wools which seems but to increase with each succeeding day. Wash Goods must step down and out—the foreign ones first. Here's Wednesday and Thursday's proposition:

## Organdies, Batistes, Linens—Half Price

Yes, half price or less. Ought to interest you for next season's wants, even if there wasn't still six weeks of warm weather ahead.

## English Batistes—

formerly priced 25c to 50c a yard, now 12 1/2c

## French Organdies—

25c and 50c grades, floral designs, a yard, 12 1/2c

## German Linens—

For shirts, woven color patterns, regular 35c and 50c a yard, now 25c

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The H. LIEBER COMPANY  
24 West Washington St.

## Two Ways

There are two ways of buying diamonds for selling—the small retailers way of buying in small quantities, the wholesaler's way of buying in large quantities. The other way—our way—of buying direct from the cutter in large lots at lowest prices and with large cash discounts from even large lot prices. This, together with our low rent, enables us to defy all competition.

## J. C. SIPE, Importer of Diamonds

Rooms 2, 3 and 4, 18 1/2 North Meridian St., INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

## MAY CLOSE THE MILLS

SHORT SHUT DOWNS PROBABLY WILL FOLLOW CORN SHORTAGE.

Talks with Owners of This Class of Factories—Further Gossip of Drought's Effect.

The prospective large shortage in the corn crop bids fair to interfere with the operations of some of the mills that use this cereal in making their products. The corn-grinding industries of Indianapolis have been fortunate, however, in placing orders for their raw material a long way ahead, so that they will not be likely to feel the effects of the deficit in the corn crop as soon as other establishments on the outside.

"Whenever a crop is short," said Richard Thomas, of the Cereals Manufacturing Company, "whether it be corn or wheat, and the price gets too high, the deficit is supplied from other sources. If the price of corn gets parallel with the price of wheat, wheat will be fed as readily as corn. Then, too, the price of corn being so elevated puts up the prices of other products. But all things combined will, in my opinion, tend to keep the price of corn down, because the demand for its products will not be anywhere near what it would have been if the crop had been large. High prices always turn the consumer to other things. We have a very large crop of wheat this year, probably 200,000 bushels, and, of course, that is far more than enough to supply the home demand and the surplus will be shipped abroad or fed at home in the place of corn.

In response to a question as to whether mills that grind corn will be affected by the shortage of the crop, Mr. Thomas said: "I presume a number of the smaller mills will be affected more than we will, because much do not go far from the source of their immediate neighborhood, for their raw material. We go into the West for our corn. Of course, if the price of corn is high, as much as we would if we had an abundant crop, but I think we will manage to keep right on running. We will carry a long way ahead and possibly there may be delays in executing those orders that will compel us to shut down for a few days at a time, but I do not anticipate any serious trouble.

I think the present price of corn is purely speculative," declared H. W. Piel, of the National Starch Manufacturing Company, "and that the price will eventually settle down to within 2 or 3 cents of 30 cents per bushel. The shortage of the crop will affect the production of outside mills very largely, and the consumption will be curtailed one-third to one-half. Shortage of corn probably will become necessary, but the duration of these stoppages cannot, of course, be stated definitely at this time. We do not look for serious difficulty in this locality, however."

State Senator J. M. Barlow, of Plainfield, Ind., was at the city yesterday, and, in common with other agriculturists, had much to say about the great drought and its effect in lessening the production of cereals and vegetables. "My 100 acres of corn," he said, "may make for food, but, of course, no crop at all this year. The price is 90 cents to-day, but he is holding his corn for 70 cents."

A local retailer of canned goods on a large scale observed yesterday that, in his opinion, the price of canned goods next winter will not be much, if any, higher than last winter. He expected tomatoes, "I can say this," he added, "because I have made my contracts."

The farmer who does not raise potatoes nearly every year in Indiana has himself to blame," remarked a well-known resident of this city, who has a small farm in the suburbs and makes farming his chief avocation. "We have raised as fine potatoes this year as we could raise, but we have had a very fair yield. We put the ground in good condition very early in the season, and the soil said, 'I will save the crop,' and planted whole, fair-sized potatoes. Before the drought became destructive the potatoes were well matured."

Denies that He Gambled on Train.

John Banks, who was reported to have been at the head of the gambling and drinking features on the Lake Erie & Western excursion to Rochester Sunday, denies that he had anything to do with them. He says he was a passenger on the train with his wife and mother. He also says he did not attempt to act as peacekeeper in any of the trouble that took place on the train during the excursion. He says he understood that there was gambling on the train but he had nothing to do with it.

Gave Candy and Took Ring.

Gus Alexis, a candy peddler, was arrested last night by the police and charged with the theft of a ring from Ruth McKee, a nine-year-old girl from Muncie, who is visiting her aunt at 108 North Delaware street. The girl said she gave her candy and took the ring from her finger.

New Planes 216 and up at Walschner's.

## PETITION FOR HOLTZMAN

NEW CANDIDATE FOR DEMOCRATS' MAYORALTY NOMINATION.

Backed by Men That Oppose John J. Appel and Hope to Secure Him Away.

Another candidate has entered the race for the Democratic nomination for mayor, with the result that the Democratic city committee is more "mixed" than ever. Yesterday afternoon a petition asking that the name of John W. Holtzman be placed on the ticket as a candidate for the nomination for mayor was filed with Chairman Fanning. When interrogated about the matter Mr. Fanning, who has persistently declined to make public any of the petitions that have been filed with him, stated that he wished to be consistent in his conduct, and declined to admit or deny that the petition had been filed.

The petitioners, however, anticipating that Fanning would decline to make Holtzman's candidacy public, furnished carbon copies of the original petition to the newspapers. The petition is signed by ten of the most prominent Democratic business men in the city. None of them is known to be connected with the Taggart machine.

Gustave W. Kevers, of the firm of Bertie & Kevers; G. H. Carter, of the firm of Carter, Lee & Co., dealers in lumber; Thomas A. Alford, manager of a cigar house on South Meridian street; Dennis Egan, a hardware merchant on Delaware street; and Willard Robertson, attorney, with offices in the Lemcke building.

AN ANTI-APPEL MOVE.

All of the men who have signed Holtzman's petition are said to be strongly opposed to the candidacy of John J. Appel, but it is said they would have been satisfied with Joseph E. Bell. The real object of the Holtzman petition is for the express purpose of defeating Appel at the primaries in the event that he should be a candidate.

The Holtzman Democrats maintain that in filing the Holtzman petition they have put the question to a scheme whereby Appel would be obliged to accept the nomination or become a candidate. It is said that Mr. Appel has at various times partially repudiated the Holtzman petition, but owing to his timidity the possibility of his defeating him has kept him, so far, from committing himself to be a candidate, but owing to the fact that there is a strong party opposition to his nomination. He also feared that unless the party managers turned him down and made good their original intention of nominating Mr. Bell that the name of Holtzman would keep him company on the ticket.

These facts are said to have convinced Mr. Appel that he went to Chairman Fanning and declared that he would not be a candidate. He said that he was a man who saw his hopes slipping away from him, and he had devised a scheme to keep him, so far, from committing himself to be a candidate, but owing to the fact that there is a strong party opposition to his nomination. He also feared that unless the party managers turned him down and made good their original intention of nominating Mr. Bell that the name of Holtzman would keep him company on the ticket.

MR. APPEL MORE POSITIVE.

The Holtzman people somehow learned of the scheme and think they have successfully headed it off by filing their petition. The petition was filed yesterday afternoon and within a short time afterwards Mr. Appel was in close consultation with Chairman Fanning at the city headquarters. It is presumed that Mr. Fanning acquainted him with the move that had been made, for when Mr. Appel came out of the headquarters he was more positive than ever that he would not be a candidate. He said that he had been informed that a petition had been prepared with his name upon it, but that he had successfully headed it off. He said that he was not a candidate, and that he would not be a candidate, and that he would not be a candidate.

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## TEXAS CAPITAL HERE

BEAUMONT MAN SAYS HE IS BUYING INDIANA OIL LAND.

Has Obtained \$15,000 Worth at Farm Prices—Says Field Is Undeveloped.

Only a few weeks have elapsed since the famous "strikes" of oil in the fields surrounding Beaumont were made, and Indiana capital has gone to Texas for the development of the field. During the last few days capital direct from Beaumont brought by one who is interested in successful enterprises there, and who has for four years been operating in the Cordiana field of Texas, has been invested for the purpose of developing Indiana oil fields.

A few days ago M. M. Bright, representing the German-American Oil Company of Beaumont, came to Indianapolis to confer with John H. Davidson, of this city, who is the local agent of the company, relative to the Texas business. He had been four years at Cordiana and in the development of that field acquired knowledge of the general rules regarding the location of oil. He became interested in the Indiana fields, and as the result of serious talks with a number of oil men operating in the local field he concluded that an investigation would do no harm. Yesterday, as the result of his investigation, the transfer of his 500 acres of land in five separate tracts was made to him.

The land was purchased as "farm land" and at a price little above the market price of similar land outside of the oil district. Mr. Bright is now out making contracts and buying other tracts. Mr. Bright said last night that he and his associates already have invested \$15,000 in Indiana oil lands.

He said his judgment was that the field had been only partially developed, and that there soon would be a scramble for oil lands such as there was when the oil first was discovered here. He did not think the field as good for enormous prospective profits as the Beaumont field, but he did believe it worthy the investment of capital. He declined to give the location of the tracts, but said they were in the Cordiana field of land which may now be bought as farm property. It is proposed, however, to develop the field, and to promote a stock company for the further development of the field. Associated with Mr. Bright is John H. Davidson, local agent of the same Beaumont company with which Mr. Bright is connected. Mr. Davidson is a resident of New York, who came here yesterday for the purpose of taking general charge of the business.

Promotions at the Postoffice.

F. L. Rufford's removal from the clerical force at the postoffice has caused the promotion of six men by Postmaster McGinnis. Each one promoted receives an increase of \$10 a year in salary. Those promoted are: Allison, Mandell, Albert, H. Steele, W. J. Carroll, John E. Hanley, M. P. Sexton and Edward F. Jones. Jesse M. Wall, a substitute, has been assigned to the regular list at a salary of \$500.

NOTICE TO TOURISTS.

Subscribers leaving the city for a period during the summer months have the Daily Journal mailed to any address in the United States or Canada without extra charge. The address will be changed as often as desired.

Annual Seashore Excursions.

Via Big Four and C. & O. Route, Thursday, Aug. 15.

\$15.00—Round Trip—\$15.00.

From Indianapolis.

To Atlantic City, Cape May, Angelsea, Avalon, Holly Beach, Ocean City, Sea Island City and Wildwood, N. J., Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth, Del. Corresponding rates from all points on Big Four.

Tickets good returning for twelve days. Through sleepers and coaches on trains leaving Indianapolis 7:45 a. m. and 8:20 p. m. Thursday, Aug. 15.

For further information call on Big Four agents or address H. M. BRONSON, A. G. P. A., Indianapolis.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

\$1.50—Vincennes and Return—\$1.50.

Sunday, August 18th.

An excellent opportunity to visit the oldest town in the State of Indiana and view the historic places so interestingly described in the "Guide to Old Vincennes." Special train will leave Indianapolis 6:45 a. m. Returning leave Vincennes 7:30 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

\$1.25—Madison and Return—\$1.25.

Sunday, Aug. 18.

Special train will leave Indianapolis 7:30 a. m. Returning leave Madison 6 p. m.

BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

Sunday, Aug. 18.

Louisville, Ky., \$1.50 Round Trip.

Special train leaves Indianapolis 7:30 a. m. Returning leave Louisville 7 p. m. Butcher's picnic at Louisville.

Danville, Ill., and Way Stations.

\$1.00 or less round trip. Special train leaves Indianapolis 7:30 a. m. Returning, leaves Danville, 7:30 p. m.

Lawrenceburg, Aurora and Way Stations.

\$1.00 or less round trip. Special train leaves Indianapolis 7:30 a. m. Returning, leaves Aurora, 7:30 p. m.

\$1.25—CINCINNATI and RETURN—\$1.25.

Via C. & O. D. Sunday, Aug. 18.

Two special fast trains; the first will leave Indianapolis at 7:30 a. m. and make no local stops; the second will leave at 7:15 a. m., stopping only at Rushville, Connersville, and Ellettsburg. Returning, leave Cincinnati 6:30 p. m. Baseball—Pittsburg vs. Cincinnati.

COLORADO EXCURSIONS.

Via Monon Route.

Tickets on sale daily to Sept. 10th. Final return limit Oct. 21st. For particulars see ticket agents.

Insure with German Fire Insurance of Indiana. General offices 28 E. Delaware street. Fire, tornado and explosion.

Feed your horse JAMES'S Dustless Oats.

The English Hotel Barber Shop.

has removed to ground floor, with Charles Bass, W. H. Johnson, W. Dennis, formerly of the English Hotel, and Charles Higgins, Christian Lamont and A. J. Thompson. We invite our friends to call. J. KERRY, proprietor.

New Planos for Rent.

\$2.50, \$4 and \$5 per month.

12 E. Washington st. Manufacturers.

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Turf goods, trunks and traveling bags. TECHNICAL & FREIBERG, 123 E. Washington st.

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5,000 OUNCES to be moved at once. We will engrave free of charge and store for future delivery.

10% to 30% REDUCTION JUST TO MOVE THE GOODS.

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## Rheumatism

What is the use of telling the rheumatic that he feels as if his joints were being dislocated?

He knows that his sufferings are very much like the tortures of the rack. What he needs to know is what will permanently cure his disease.

That, according to thousands of grateful testimonials, is

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is a profitable investment. We have fifty different styles to select from.

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